

OUR SATURDAY NIGHT SUPPER TABLE SERIES NUMBER LV.

A DIET FOR MENTAL DYSPEPSIA, AND A CURE FOR HYPOCHONDRIA, HY-POBRIA, OR ANY COMPLAINT OF A BILIOUS ORDER.

BY OUR SERIES EDITOR.

ALMANAC AND DIARY.

BRIEF METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS FOR THE WEEK.

February.

Monday, 12.—Frosted in the Schuylkill. Chesnut Street Bridge safe. Having withstood so many attacks from the land forces it was imperative to an assault by water, and it now stands on ice blocks to all travel in that direction.

Proceedings in Congress.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. Mr. STEVENS, from the Committee on Reconstruction of the Capitol, reported the Hot Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution, with the Amendment so as to read as follows:

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Now, sir, I think very differently myself. It so happened that when our Fathers formed this Government, board was two-and-a-half a week, and in many instances this sum included "washing."

At that day butter was a levy a pound, and everything else in proportion. Then hotels were scarce, and booths and cakestands were allowed around the Capitol, with the hope that the proprietors would see themselves, that they were taking the members' spare change, and the evil would cure itself by the dealers getting rich and retiring from business; and it was also thought that with increasing boarding-houses the rivalry would be so great to furnish food in accordance with the principles of the Constitution, that members, owing to a press of matter, and remembering the admonition of the Father of their Country, would refuse any foreign influence to work in their internal affairs.

At the conclusion of Mr. Stevens' speech, Mr. Raymond made an explanation, saying that he never bought anything of the "man at the other end of the avenue," and did not know so much as he was yet in business, and it must therefore be considered false that he had received a ginger-bread horse to advocate his interests.

MANAYUNK, February 14, 1866. Mr. Series Editor—Dear Sir:—Going up Chesnut street, the other evening, I stepped into a basement Concert Saloon, and I found abasement all around (if you think this pun can be improved, please do it). I waited through two or three songs, when my curiosity was excited by their costumes. But as I am reckoned a poet in our town, I will put my musings into verse.

MUSINGS IN A CONCERT SALOON. By a Young Man from the Country. When a man sticks a hat on the back of his head, Tell me, O Editor, why do they roar? And then, when he pushes it forward instead, Why do they scream twice as loud as before? When an elderly gentleman rumples his hair, Why do they all go delicious as well? When he uses a handkerchief out of repair, Why do they! why do they! why do they yell? When a vulgar virago is singing her song, Why must she offer herself as a wife? Why give applause about ten minutes long, When she says this is the "happiest hour" of her life.

What does a slinger intend to imply By "Whack! lo! the larvy, larvy, lay?" What can he hope to convey to me by Singing "Rum-ti-tidy, id-tidy" eh? Yours out of the Saloon, TOM-ATO.

THE CONTRARY SEX.—The girls at the High School wish they had two birthdays a year. After they graduate they wish they had one every two years.

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NOTICE TO NEW YORK SHIP-PEERS.—THE STEAMSHIP COMPANY, THE STEAMSHIP WASHINGTON is receiving freight below Market street, and will sail on SATURDAY, 17th, at 10 A. M.

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